DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
11. Public health.
12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage, of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding year.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort)	6·96	6·90	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	13·61	15·47	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...		6·90	

Agricultural operations.—Weeding operations are being carried on in ragi and paddy fields.

The state of the standing crops is fair.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Weeding operations are being carried on in parts of Dodballapur, Magadi and Anekal Taluks.

Crops sown.—The sowing of horse gram is completed in the Kankanhalli Taluk. Potatoes in Devanhalli Taluk are being sown.

Standing crops.—Ragi, avare, togari, paddy, sugar-cane, chillies, mulberry, huchellu, samè, navane, haraka and groundnuts are in good condition. Hoskote, Dodballapur and Anekal Taluks require more rains.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stocks are available. Cooly classes find sufficient Employment.

11. But for plague in certain parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Dodballapur, Channapatna, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks, and cholera in some villages in the Anekal Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Chappe roga is prevalent in Kodamballi, Shanbhoganahalli, Hunsanahalli and Honiyar in the Channapatna Taluk, cattle are generally healthy in the district. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations:—

Crops sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Kolar—samé, 8 to 10 annas; Bowringpet—Til, samé, 8 to 16 annas; Chintamani and Mulbagal—samé, 8 annas; Chikballapur—groundnuts, 8 to 12 annas; Goribidnur—samé, 10 annas; Malur—samé, 6 to 8 annas, sajje, 8 to 12 annas, groundnuts, 8 to 12 annas; Srinivaspur—samé, 8 to 12 annas; Gudibanda—samé and groundnuts, 8 to 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, avare, togari and other dry crops are in good condition. The Amildars of Chintamani, Mulbagal, Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks and the Deputy Amildar report that dry crops stand in need of rain.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Prices of food grains continue high. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Except for plague in parts of Kolar, Bowringpet, Chikballapur and Malur Taluks, public health is generally good. The Amildars report that necessary preventive measures are adopted to prevent the spread of the disease.

12. 'Neradi roga' is reported to be prevalent among cattle in parts of Kolar and Chintamani Taluks. The Veterinary Inspector has been written to in the matter. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Horse gram in parts of Pavagada Taluk; paddy in parts of Kunigal Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Maddagiri Taluk—navane; Chiknayakanhalli—jola and green gram; Sira Taluk—navane; Gubbi Taluk—groundnuts; Tiptur Taluk—samè; Pavagada Taluk—rgai and jola; Kunigal Taluk—sugar-cane; Koratagere Sub-Taluk—jola navane and ragi.

Standing crops.—Ragi, paddy, horse gram, togari, groundnuts, haraka, samé, castor, sugar-cane, avare, baragu and til. It is reported that dry crops are in need of rains.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in Doddadalavatta in the Maddagiri Taluk, public health is reported to be good.

12. Except for Dodda roga in parts of Sira, Chiknayakanhalli and Gubbi Taluks and Chappe roga in parts of Maddagiri and Sira Taluks, it is reported that cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Horse gram and kadale in parts of the Chamrajnagar Taluk and green and black grams, kadale and cotton in parts of the Gundlupet Taluk.

Standing crops.—Ragi, jola, togari, castor, avare, til, ramtil, horse gram, green and black grams, navane, haraka, tadagani, coriander, chillies, cotton, mulberry, paddy and sugar-cane are reported to be in good condition; and they are reported to be withering for want of rain in parts of Nagamangala Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Mysore—ragi and jola; Chamrajnagar—jola; Nagamangala—sugar-cane.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Plague is prevalent in parts of all the taluks, except Yedatore and Gundlupet.

12. Except for Dodda roga in parts of the Yedatore Taluk and Naradi roga and foot and mouth disease in parts of the Heggaddevankote Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Dodragi, togari, kulthi, paddy, avare, sugar-cane and chillies in the Hassan Taluk; paddy, in the Manjarabad Taluk; sugar-cane, paddy, avare and kulthi, in the Belur Taluk; avare kulthi, togari, haralu and chillies in the Arkalgud Taluk; ragi, paddy, sugar-cane avare and kulthi in the Channarayapatna Taluk; kulthi, ragi and avare in the Arsikere Taluk; paddy, sugar-cane, togari and kulthi in the Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Gidda ragi in the Hassan Taluk; cardamoms in the Manjarabad Taluk; sugar-cane in the Channarayapatna Taluk; cholam in the Arsikere Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Hassan and Channarayapatna Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk.

12. Water and fodder are available. Cattle are generally healthy, except for foot and mouth disease in the surrounding parts of Bagade and Dodda roga near Gangahalli in the Arsikere Taluk.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Transplantation of paddy in the Tirthahalli Taluk is completed.

Standing crops.—They are in good condition except paddy in parts of the Shimoga Taluk for paucity of rains.

Crops harvested.—Green gram in the Shimoga Taluk, ragi and jola in the Channagiri Taluk, green gram, black gram, menthya, coriander, wheat, til, samé in the Honnali Taluk; ragi in the Shikarpur Taluk, ragi and arecanut in the Sorab Taluk; arecanut and cardamom in the Sagar Taluk; arecanut in the Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks, are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Rain-fall has been insufficient in the Channagiri Taluk. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of the Shimoga, Honnali and Shikarpur Taluks.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Rinderpest in parts of all the taluks except Shimoga. Fodder and water are available in sufficient quantity except in parts of the Shimoga Taluk.

KADUR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Weeding operation is going on in parts of the Mudgere Taluk and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Tarikere—wheat, coriander; Narasimharajapura—kulthi.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur—paddy, ragi, sugar-cane and coffee; Kadur—paddy, ragi, etc.; Tarikere—paddy, ragi, togari, avare, coriander, castor, etc.; Koppa—paddy, areca, sugar-cane and coffee; Mudgere—paddy, areca, sugar-cane, coffee and cardamom; Narasimharajapura—paddy, areca and sugar-cane; Sringeri—areca. All these crops are reported to be in good condition, but paddy is reported to be affected by *Katteroga* in parts of the Danivasa Hobli of the Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk and areca by Koleroga in parts of the Sringeri Jahgir.

Crops harvested.—Koppa—areca and cardamom; Sringeri—areca.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere and Koppa Taluks and Nelagadde village in the Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk and 'Metreroga' in parts of the Mudgere Taluk.

12. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Ragi, jola, beans, togari, horse gram, castor, sajje, sugar-cane, paddy, til, navane, cotton, chillies, samé, groundnut and tobacco, are reported to be in fair condition.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Til in the taluks of Molakalmuru, Davangere, Holalkere and in the Harihar Sub-Taluk; navane in the Hosdurga Taluk and jola and black gram in the Holalkere Taluk.

N. B.—Standing crops are reported to have begun to wither for want of rains.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in a few villages in the Davangere Taluk and in the Harihar Sub-Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Rinderpest is reported to be prevailing in a few villages of the taluks of Holalkere and Hosdurga and foot and mouth disease in a few villages of the Challakere Taluk. Fodder and water are available.

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